Substitute for form 1449A/PTO				Complete if Known			
				Application Number	10/579,998		
INFO	RMATION DIS	SCL	OSURE	Filing Date	May 19, 2006		
STAT	EMENT BY A	PPL	ICANT	First Named Inventor	Bernhard LUCAS et al.		
				Art Unit	2612		
	(Use as many shee	ets as	necessary)	Examiner Name	Eric Blount		
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	10191/4566		

	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner	Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant	
Initials *	No.1	Number - Kind Code ² (<i>if known</i>)	MM-DD-YYYY		Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
		US 5,357,438	10-18-1994	Davidian		

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner	Cite	Foreign Patent Document	5.15.5.5.	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant	
Initials*	No. ¹	Country Code ³ - Number ⁴ - Kind Code ⁵ (<i>if known</i>)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY		Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T ⁶
		JP 7-141600	06-02-1995	Honda Motor Co Ltd		*
,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		JP 7-296298	11-10-1995	Nippon Denso Co		*
		JP 9-505781	06-10-1997	Yitzchak MOR et al.		**
		JP 10-181487	07-07-1998	Fuji Heavy Ind Ltd.		*
		JP 10-338111	12-22-1998	Hitachi Ltd		*
		JP 11-222113	08-17-1999	Robert Bosch GmbH		*
		JP 2002-302026	10-15-2002	Mitsubishi Motors Corp		*
		JP 2007-516520	06-21-2007	Robert Bosch GmbH		***
		WO 1993/024894	12-09-1993	Yitzchak MOR et al.		n/a
		WO 2005/055171	07-22-2004	Robert Bosch GmbH		*

^{*} English abstract provided

^{***} Document unavailable; equivalent to WO 2005/055171 provided herewith

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T 2	

	Company of the Compan		
Examiner Signature		Date Considered	

^{**} Document unavailable; equivalent to WO 1993/024894 provided herewith

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁸ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.